



**New England Fishery Management Council**

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**AGENDA**

**ECOSYSTEM BASED FISHERIES MANAGEMENT (EBFM)  
COMMITTEE**

**Monday, January 23, 2017**

**Sheraton Harborside Hotel  
250 Market Street  
Portsmouth, NH 03801  
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- 10:00 am Summary of Agenda and EBFM Committee guidance and progress toward Fishery Ecosystem Plan development.....(Pappalardo)
- 10:30 Providing catch advice for a fishery ecosystem plan (eFEP) (Document 2)..... (Applegate)
- 11:30 Presentation: Example application of operating models for Georges Bank ecosystem production unit (EPU) strategy evaluation (Documents 1 and 3) ..... (Applegate)
- 12:30 Lunch
- 1:30 pm Committee discussion on example application of Operating Models
- 2:30 Staff presentation: eFEP development process (Document 4) ..... (Applegate)
- 3:30 Committee discussion and feedback on eFEP development process
- 4:30 Other business
- 5:00 Adjourn